

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 6, line 14, with the following paragraph:

A2 FIG. 9b 9a is a schematic cross-sectional side view of a second example embodiment of a circular surgical stapler attachment used in connection with the electro-mechanical surgical device illustrated in Figure 1;

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 6, line 20, with the following paragraph:

A3 Figure 10 is a schematic view of a memory device of the first example embodiment of a circular surgical stapler attachment illustrated in Figure 9a 9b;